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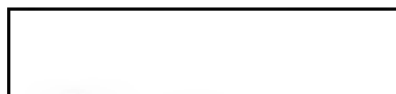
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MEMORANDUM FOR THE ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, REPORTS AND ESTIMATES:

1. Recent interagency and CIG internal discussions indicate the necessity of determining what exactly was meant by the drafters of the President's letter of 22 January 1947 by the term or terms "strategic and national policy".

2. It is known that Mr. Lay and Mr. Montague of ORE participated in the preparation of the letter.

3. It is, therefore, requested that they be directed by you to prepare and present to ICAPS by February 7, 1947 a documented brief designed to clear up the point, and to be sufficiently authoritative through use of citations of minutes, etc., to carry weight with the IAB and the NIA.



DONALD EDGAR
Chief, ICAPS

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REMARKS: ② Purpose of this is to clarify the meaning

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intended for "strategic intelligence" in order to settle a discussion concerning its use in a proposed NIA paper on Production of Intelligence

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Remarks:

LP M/ If your Memo of 26 October has satisfied Mr. E. This may be filed
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